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Title: PARTICLE CONTAINING A GRAPHITE BASED NUCLEUS COVERED WITH AT LEAST ONE CONTINUOUS OR DISCONTINUOUS LAYER, PROCESSES FOR PREPARING THE SAME AND THEIR USES

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application filed Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) dated November 9, 2005, enclosed please find:

- ☒ a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventor(s);
  - ☐ Note that the inventor/inventors identified on the concurrently filed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is/are different than listed on the application filing papers.
- ☐ an Application Data Sheet;
- ☒ the surcharge of ☐ \$65.00 (2051) ☒ \$130.00 (1051) as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e);
- ☐ a Request for Refund;
- ☐ a Petition for Extension of Time;
- ☐ a verified English translation of the Application, and the \$130.00 (1053) fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(k);
- ☐ an Assignment document and a separate check for the \$40.00 (8021) Assignment recordation fee;
- ☐ drawings for publication;
- ☒ IDS;
- ☐ a certified copy of the priority document;
- ☒ copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application; and
- ☒ other PCT/ISA/210

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ for the fee due for missing parts is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due for missing parts.
- ☒ Charge \$ 130.00 to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- o Copy of the International Application filed on 04/25/2005
- o English Translation of the IA filed on 04/25/2005
- o Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/25/2005
- o Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/25/2005
- o U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/25/2005
- o Priority Documents filed on 04/25/2005
- o Specification filed on 04/25/2005
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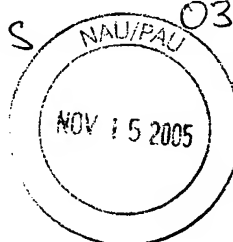
The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- o Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- o To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- o \$130 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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